COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 1576-01 <u>Bill No.</u>: HB 680

Subject: Children and Minors; Domestic Relations; Civil Procedure

<u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Date</u>: March 15, 2011

Bill Summary: This legislation requires a checklist form to be completed prior to the

finalizing an adoption which verifies that all documents and procedures

have been submitted, complied with, and reviewed by the judge.

FISCAL SUMMARY

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	
Total Estimated Net Effect on Other State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0	

- □ Estimated Total Net Effect on All funds expected to exceed \$100,000 savings or (cost).
- ☐ Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund expected to exceed \$100,000 (cost).

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014
Local Government	\$0	\$0	\$0

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FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Section 453.080:

Officials from the Office of Administration-Administrative Hearing Commission, Office of the State Courts Administrator and the Office of the Attorney General each assume the proposal would have no fiscal impact on their respective agencies.

Officials from the **Department of Social Services** assume the Children's Division (CD) would not be fiscally impacted as a result of this proposed legislation as its requirements are directed to the Supreme Court and the judge presiding over the adoption proceedings. However, the CD may need to update policy to accommodate the provisions of this legislation and put them into practice.

Officials from the **St. Louis Recorder of Deeds** have not responded to Oversight's request for fiscal information.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2012 (10 Mo.)	FY 2013	FY 2014
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2012 (10 Mo.)	FY 2013	FY 2014
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

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FISCAL DESCRIPTION

The proposed legislation appears to have no fiscal impact.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Office of the Attorney General Office of Administration-Administrative Hearing Commission Office of the State Courts Administrator Department of Social Services

Not Responding: St. Louis Recorder of Deeds

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